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Mr. Payne Addresses Women's Club

The regular meeting of the Women's Club of Red Deer was held in the Oddfellows Hall on Tuesday, March 6th, at 3 o'clock.

Mr. Michener, M.P., was to have addressed the Club on "What the Conservative Party in Alberta stands for," but understanding that the Budget was to be brought down on that date, found it impossible to be present and arranged with Mr. W. E. Payne to take his place.

A very able and instructive address was given. Mr. Payne first complimented the women on the efficient and businesslike manner in which the meeting was carried out.

Continuing, Mr. Payne explained the true meaning of the term "Conservative." He explained briefly the position of the Conservative Party under H. W. G. Haultain until their division into the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan. Next he went into Alberta politics from the time of R.R.R. (Rutherford-Railway-Reliability) until the Alberta and Great Waterways scandal under the Conservative Government.

Mr. Payne thought the time opportune to follow the lead of the Coalition Government in C.R. Britain under Lloyd George, and there by free ourselves from the lines-voting for the man, not the party.

It would be impossible to go fully into the details of the interesting and comprehensive address. The women wish to express their hearty appreciation to Mr. Payne for his address in Alberta, and for his long experience in western political life.

MR. MICHENER'S ADDRESS ON THE BUDGET SPEECH

Mr. Speaker, There is perhaps no more important subject that could come before the Legislature than the Budget. It has to do with the finances, the revenues and expenditures of the year, and the general policy of the government.

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provinces of Saskatchewan and Manitoba. We now do it with B.C. for a change, and we must not forget that B.C. owns its natural resources which we do not own in this province. British Columbia is an older province in Confederation than Alberta and its public debt is \$25,000,000 less than ours.

Alberta. They have to meet a sinking fund of \$2,000,000, that is B.C. are financing on a sound account, and one which any municipality could do. However, I do not think that a sinking fund to reduce the total debt of the province, at maturity, only a sound business way of managing the debt.

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to that again our excellent guarantee in connection with railways and the amount I believe is \$45,120,450 and this makes a total of actual indebtedness of \$4,093,100.25. As to the guarantee to railways, which are authorized but not executed of \$10,000,000, and we have a grand total indebtedness of over \$50,000,000. The Premier states the authorized amount not executed is not a liability, is not a charge on the credit. That is a question of law, and I am not a lawyer, but I think it is a question of law.

If we have pledged our word, our credit, for \$50,000,000, even though \$75,000,000 has only been received, yet our promise stands in the province of Alberta. This is a liability which is pledged to a total liability which is pledged to some \$90,000,000. What does this amount to per head, per man who has to pay for it? It amounts to a question of direct taxation sooner or later? The farmers will have to go down in their pockets and pay for it. It will come to a question of direct taxation sooner or later? The farmers will have to go down in their pockets and pay for it.

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Roll of Honor to be Unveiled

The unveiling of a splendid Roll of Honor, containing the names of those who are on active service or who have fallen at the front, "from nox Church, Red Deer," will take place on Friday evening, March 16th, at 8 o'clock. The Roll of Honor is an artistic piece of work prepared by Mr. H. G. Stone. Addresses will be given by prominent men of the city, and will lead the musical part of the service. For some time the choir has been planning to have a musical and social evening to entertain their friends to raise some money for the purchase of new hymn books for the use of the choir. They have decided to combine the two occasions and will serve refreshments and give a short musical programme in the evening. The entire evening will be one of interest to all who come, and a large gathering is expected.

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GENERAL SMUTS, P.C., SIXTEEN YEARS AGO

The triumph of British freedom-fighting is seen in this picture. Sir Jan Christian Smuts, a Lieutenant-General in His Majesty's army, has just been made a Privy Counsellor and is attending the Imperial War Conference. The picture was taken in 1901 when Smuts was "an enemy" in the Boer war against Britain.

Sale of Ayrshire Grades

Mr. A. H. Trimble & Son are offering for sale at Lone Spence farm on March 20 some 50 head of Ayrshire grades, and three pure-bred bull calves. Mr. A. H. Trimble, who has been the chief breeder of Ayrshire in Alberta for many years, has lost practically his right hand, and cannot continue in the active work in which he delighted, so the milking herd has to be reduced. With the adoption of grading tests by the creameries and cheese factories, the Ayrshire, 4 per cent test comes in handy, and Mr. Trimble has a large stock of stuff to give results. There will be a big demand for the choice stuff.

Conserve Your Bulls

For the past three years pure bred bulls have been growing scarcer and higher in price. This scarcity was so great last year that many were forced to use grade. All of the signs point to a greater scarcity in 1917 than ever before.

This condition could be relieved by preserving the older animals. It is a common practice to discard herd bulls at from five to six years of age. With proper management there is no reason why bulls should not be serviceable until eight or even ten years old.

There are at the present time a large number of pure bred bulls in the hands of farmers and stockmen, being fitted for slaughter which should be sent to one or another of the bull sales that are to be held by the breeders' associations in Edmonton, Calgary, Lacombe or Castor.

It will be in the interest of the owner, and of the live stock industry of the Province, to save for breeding purposes all pure bred bulls that are in good health and proved to be good breeders during the past season.

W. F. STEVENS,
Live Stock Commissioner

Veterans' Association

The European War Veterans Association of the District of Red Deer was formed last week as follows: Hon. President: Duke of Devonshire.

President: R. C. P. Gee. Vice-President: D. McLevin. Sec.-Treas.: J. McEwen. Res.-Sec'y: J. Nurcombe. Trustee: F. W. Galloway. Board: Judge Mahaffy, J. F. Day, A. T. Stephenson.

A meeting of the above will be held at the Armory on April 2nd, at 8 p.m. All returned veterans are asked to attend.

Red Cross Notes

The ten cent, ten and sale of cooking by Mrs. McLennan and Mrs. DeLong on Monday last was a great success. The proceeds were \$40 for the Red Cross work. They would have made more if they had had anything more to sell. The ladies who sold the goods were assisted in making it a success by the sisters for bringing so many pupils.

The first meeting of the Red Cross Society was held in the City Hall on Monday last. There was a large attendance, and the members joined during the afternoon, which is a record we believe.

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The ladies will serve luncheon to the farmers during the afternoon. Messrs. Gies, A. B. Walther, and N. White were added to the finance committee. A systematic canvass will be made to secure new members.

Pine Lake
March 10th, 1917.
Do not forget the theatrical performance and concert to be held at the Stanley Hotel on March 15, 1917. Also a week afterwards there is to be another dance at the Hotel. So keep these evenings in mind.

Potatoes are getting to be some price around here. Some people are nailing them at a dollar. Also quite a lot of grain hauling to Debeaux's being done, and good prices are being realized. Two loads were also hauled to Red Deer this week.

P. Ross and J. B. Herbert are busy getting ready for the summer season. The latter is busy getting a new ice house built, so look out for the Pine Lake ice cream next summer.

The Rawleigh man (Nelson) was paying his quarterly visit this week to this district. He reports the fish as being "No up to much" at present. Come again Rawleigh, when the sea is shining!

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of financing, banking and railroad. The speaker, Mr. Michener, is a man of anything more assured than what he says. Mr. Michener, there is a skeleton in the cupboard somewhere. Why is it with the money in the hands of the government, the money not being spent, this province guaranteed not to be bankrupt, the government has not been able to get the money out of the hands of the government. The people are crying out because these railroads are not built. Delegations demand the lines should be constructed and ask why, and echo answers why? The government says the Dominion Government is to blame. Did you ever hear anything so childish and absurd? The Dominion Government had nothing to do with it. The Dominion only exercises supervision when the lines are completed. When members of the Provincial Government will resort to these kinds of tactics to mislead the people of the province and try in such an absurd way to relieve the government of its responsibility, it is time the truth was told and the people paid attention. No one was better pleased than the minister of railways, the Premier, when the Dominion Government came to the rescue of the provincial Government and saved the province from financial bankruptcy. He did not murmur but was very pleased to have the Dominion Government come to his rescue. Let him tell us why he will not call the railway company to account and why the lines are not built when the money is in the bank.

I will read from the report again: "No Alberta guarantee has ever been granted at as high a figure as the actual cost of construction and equipment of the line of railway to which the guarantee applies. When does the deputy minister expect us to take him seriously?"

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JNO. A. CARSWELL,

Editor and Proprietor

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14th 1917.

Today, Liberalism, as represented in French Canada, considers questions of Empire from the standpoint of Quebec. "What share of influence would there be for the province of Quebec?" writes Senator David of the proposal for an Imperial Council. For such a deplorable, dangerous sectionalism, who or what is responsible? Perhaps the true answer is to be found in a recent article by Henri Bourassa himself who, in confessing that he had learned his Nationalist principles from Sir Wilfrid Laurier, might well contemplate anti-British sentiment in Quebec and exclaim—

"Here is the generation I have brought up and educated; here are the principles, the ideas and sentiments which I have impressed upon my dear compatriots."

In his comment on the result of the recent New Brunswick provincial elections the Liberal press indulges in a rather peculiar paradox. The claim is made that the Liberal victory is a great "personal triumph" for one Frank B. Carroll, M.P., but no mention is made of the fact that Mr. Carroll's own riding, Carleton, went solidly Conservative. So where does the "personal triumph" come in?

The fact of the matter is that the elections indicate one thing and that is that Mr. Carroll's career is about closed. The sooner the better for decent public life in Canada.

"A VOTE FOR LAURIER IS A VOTE FOR BOURASSA"

The Halifax Chronicle, that doughty Maritime province champion of Laurier, Liberator, professes to be pained that the statement should be made that "A vote for Laurier is a vote for Bourassa." Surely the Chronicle will be content to permit the question to be settled by Mr. Bourassa himself.

Writing in his daily newspaper, Le Devoir, a short time ago Mr. Bourassa made the following definite charges, which, so far as we know, remain unchallenged:

"Let us suppose, for one moment," wrote Mr. Bourassa, "that Mr. Laurier's accusations are true, and that the Nationalist resistance is inspired by hatred towards England, at what school were we given such lessons of hatred and distrust? At the school of the Liberal party, under the supreme inspiration of Mr. Laurier. It was Mr. Laurier who taught us, as early as 1890, that 'never would Canada take part in the wars of England.'"

"Really, if the Nationalists, and generally the French-Canadians, do not feel in a hurry to shed their blood for England or for any other country than their own, Mr. Laurier may say: Here is the generation I have brought up and educated; here are the principles, the ideas and sentiments which I have impressed upon my dear compatriots."

It is not therefore quite logical to say that "A vote for Laurier is a vote for Bourassa."

HAYS MUNICIPALITY.

The second meeting of the Council was held at Lonsana on Saturday, February 10th. All the members were present.

Moved by Rowland that the minutes of the last meeting be adopted as read. Carried.

Moved by Wilton that the secretary write and obtain a copy of the drainage act. Carried.

Accounts to the amount of \$89.55 were read and passed on a motion by McRae.

Moved by Robinson that the report of the delegates to the Convention of Rural Municipalities be accepted and a vote of thanks be given them for their services. Carried.

Moved by McRae that the Secretary's expenses be paid, as he acted as delegate in Mr. Ross' and my place, as we were unable to attend. Carried.

Moved by Ross that the expenses of the delegates amounting to \$31.00 be paid. Carried.

Moved by Robinson that we send a copy of the resolution passed last February re bridges asked for, by Mr. Archer, our member, and ask for his kind support in the matter, especially those at section 8, and 8-24, being urgently required. Carried.

Moved by Wilton that the Secretary write and obtain a copy of the sitting of the Legislature as early as possible. Carried.

Moved by Ross that the Secretary write to the Board of Railway Commissioners and ask that the G.T.P. Railway have their streetcars at Elmore and running moved to a derelict location. Carried.

By-law No. 15, relating to the barred wire fences getting in such repair as to require, and giving power to any Council member to remove such wire, collecting cost of such removal from the land or by sale of the wire so removed, was read twice and last reading will be given at the next meeting.

Moved by McRae that the Secretary write the Department of Telephones asking that a 15 hour service be given us at Delburne. Carried.

Moved by Ross that the tender of the Farmers Co-operative Co., for two cars of cedar lumber be accepted and the Secretary is instructed to pay \$50.00 on each car as per the terms of the tender. Carried.

Moved by Ross that the Financial Statement for 1916 be accepted and the same published in the "Progress" as per section 183 of the Rural Municipalities Act. Carried.

Moved by Rowland that our next meeting be held in Delburne on Saturday, March 31st, at 1 o'clock p.m. Carried.

Moved by Brogan that we now adjourn. Carried.

D. L. Ross, Reeve.

T. Q. Moore, Sec.-Treas.

Synopsis of Rev. Brough's Sermon

At the Baptist Church on Sunday Evening, March 4th.

The subject of the address was "How can we link hearts and minds with the boys at the front?" The speaker said among other things that: while we deeply regret the awful tragedy that is being enacted in Europe—yet we are glad that our little church has been able to contribute its quota of men in the defence of those principles that are dearer than life itself in the heart of every loyal Britisher. Fifteen bright and promising lads have gone from our midst, three of whom have paid the supreme price, and their graves are numbered among the fallen heroes somewhere in France. They who have gone are our husbands, brothers, sons and friends, and we miss them. But let no tear well up to the eye or emotion kindle the heart that does not even yet in conduct that is worth while. Many tears have fallen from many eyes, as from different Canadian centres we have said goodbye to our boys. But alas! on the part of some their subsequent conduct at home has

given the lie to their tears.

There are three things we should do in order to link heart and mind with the lads at the front: First: our lads fought for us, let us pray for them. Second: they do their best for their country; let us do our best for the Kingdom of God. Third: our boys are living a life of sacrifice; let us live a life of conservation.

Our boys at the front are by no means a handful of blood-thirsty desperadoes, reveling in carnage and slaughter; but constrained by the call of duty they have gone forth to fight for peace, in defending the principles so sacred to our Empire. They are doing their best by facing scenes of slaughter which we, so far removed from the scene of action can scarcely imagine. That our boys are suffering and dying for us is a challenge for us at home to do our best. We can cheer the lads at the front by letters and parcels, but best of all, we can pray for them.

"More things were wrought by prayer than this world dreams of." There are many people pray in these days who never prayed before. The loneliness of their separation from loved ones—and the sorrow of the heart that to their lads has led them to seek the God in whom alone true comfort is found.

Our little Empire may be likened unto a Bank in which such men as John Wycliffe, the Archbishop, John Wesley, the Methodist, John Knox, the Presbyterian, and John Milton, the Baptist, have made deposits of splendid and enduring principles. And our Empire owes much to these early pioneers who championed the rights of the people and gave us many of the principles that we hold so dear, and our boys at the front are fighting for the preservation of our inviolable heritage. They are shedding their blood in the defence of home and humanity, and we must not forget that the nation of Germany, their chief enemy, is a nation of their blood. And not until the last son of Britain has shed his last drop of blood shall we ever consider the defeat of the colossal and ruthless military machine of the Hun.

What should be the reflex action of this upon our lives? It seems to me that we should give ourselves as loyal subjects of the British Empire for the advancement of every help for the suffering and the elimination of every evil. We should fortify our churches and make them strongholds of righteousness and centres of spiritual power.

The big word at this present time is "Sacrifice." The altar-fires of the battle-line are being fed by the lives of our gallant lads. Counting liberty dearer than life they are giving themselves as peace offerings that he priceless heritage that is ours may be handed down to coming generations.

Many books have already been written on the war and as many more will yet appear. But no author can pen the spirit of sacrifice that has sent thousands of our bravest boys to their death. Their memory has been immortalized in song, and cannot be given justice even by the most brilliant genius with the pen.

What appeal should this sacrifice make to us who remain at home? It should lead us to put more consecration in our patriotism. We should live not for self but for others. Let us not be so much concerned with our own materialism and pleasure. But once the seriousness of the war has dawned upon us we have crushed these unbridled tendencies and are giving more attention to the higher and better things. But there are still many upon whom the war has had no serious effect, they may glory in talk of patriotism but they are money-worshippers and pleasure-seekers—behind the banner of so-called patriotism they are in dishonesty honest to the god of money and the goddess of pleasure.

My plea is that in honor to the boys who fought our battles let us consecrate our lives to God, King and Country, give ourselves to the elevation of national ideals and the ennobling of manhood and womanhood.

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Letters from the front

Dr. Thornton received the following letter from his son Harold, in the fourth, some weeks ago, and although it is late it will be read with interest by some of our readers:

Witley Camp, Surrey, Eng., January 6th, 1917

Dear Dad—

We spent two weeks in Amhurst, two weeks on the coast, on the sister ship to the Titanic, and have been here a week and two days.

We are in quarantine for mumps, measles and diphtheria. The weather is miserable, raining continually.

We are not allowed outside of our Battalion parade grounds. We live in tents, thirty-three men to a tent, one stove and mostly only one electric light.

All our officers are kept out of the lines, and Steve Harvey is running the battalion. The outfit never dreads so well since we started as they are now, in fact we don't seem to miss the officers at all.

England is certainly at war. Canada may be, but she don't know it. I saw a Canadian list all people in England have to eat army bread, it weighs a ton per slice. The use of paper is discouraged, also excessive travelling. Girls do the work of men. Everything about the country is so substantial.

We are still in the Canadians camp, and conditions are very strange as to military conditions in Canada.

My sergeants travelled second class free to a camp, and had beautiful meals. The men were very crowded, over 7,000 being aboard.

As I said before, the Olympic is sister ship to the Titanic, and is a monster. Her main deck, known as "A" deck, is 1150 feet around and is 80 feet above the water. We lay at anchor in Halifax harbor on Friday night till the next Wednesday afternoon, when we steamed out accompanied by the "Calgarian." She kept with us for two nights and a day, then she left.

We hardly sighted a ship 'till we reached the Irish coast. Xmas evening and accompanied us to Liverpool. Destroyers are few, narrow little boats that cut through the water at a fearful rate, some as fast as 50 miles per hour. They are armed to the teeth. Our own boat by the way was armed and travelled dark at night. She was dismantled after she was taken by the government. Her crew of 11 men, and has been fired at by submarines 11 times. We were six days on the water and two more at anchor in the Mersey at Liverpool. England is certainly a pretty country and of course novel to us, a great part of the meadows along the railway are flooded. They said that some had fallen in the last two years.

Food prices in to-day's Mirror are: Butter 2s. 6d., eggs 3s. 6d., beef 20d. to 2 shillings, turkey 1s. 6d., potatoes, 2s. 6d., 3d., a chicken 12s. 6d. Sugar is very scarce. We use margarine for butter, it is very similar, but a little flatter, but you get use to it. However, you would hardly know it from butter.

This is Saturday afternoon and we are having a half-holiday. It rained heavily last night and the ground is soaked to-day. The whole Battalion is sick with colds and sore throats, besides the other diseases. Some of the boys are so bad they can only speak in whispers.

This is certainly a grand country and the roads are nearly all paved. There are some monstrous lorries and motor trucks. Foods are greatly in evidence.

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The Canadian Pacific Railway Co. has introduced into the Canadian Pacific Angus Shops at Montreal. At present there are two hundred of them engaged in the shops.

These women workers have been organized and work under the supervision of Mrs. J. W. Bell, wife of Mr. Bell, superintendent of the Montreal Windsor Street Station building. Mrs. Bell is enthusiastic over the success of the efforts of those entrusted to her charge, and considers that the field of manual labor requiring skill and application is one in which women will yet exercise a wide influence.

A visit to the women workers in the Angus Shops is inspiring. The women perform their tasks with accuracy at 7.15 a.m. and finish at 4.45 p.m. Allowing for the lunch hour, between 12 and 1 o'clock, they work eight and a half hours a day. Watching the women trip along cheerfully to the scene of their exertions one might

feel that he is observing the world march away from the old era of prejudice and convention and entering a period of freedom and common-sense. The spheres of the activity of the Angus Shop women workers are made cheerful and comfortable as it is possible to make them. Each woman has a locker in which she places her belongings before donning her overalls and cap. At the outset of her work it was difficult to induce some of the women to take kindly to the garments which trained men and women who are the sole means of the support of dependents. The overalls have three distinct recommendations: they are light, they are sanitary, and they are safe, all among the machines without danger, and being drawn into machinery clutches.

The women work on the piece system, and they are paid at the same rate as their brothers. They work amongst the men with the harmony of the female in offices where there are female and male clerks. In the Angus Shops the women are to be found sweeping, couch, washing, couch painting, working on drills, lathes, at various kinds of machinery, filing and drilling in the brass shops, brass polishing, operating on tapping machines, cleaning dynamo in the electrical department, assisting in the steamfitting centre, and making mattresses and pillows. No woman is asked to do heavy work.

The women bring the material for their lunch with them, and this they prepare in the lunch room which accommodates two hundred. Soup and bread are provided by the company at cost price. Attached to the lunch room is a rest room, and near the rest room is a first aid room, where any accidents that may occur

are treated. No less than seventeen of the women workers hold certificates of proficiency in first aid work. Should any accidents occur the services of these trained women are very valuable.

There has been no scarcity of applications for work at the Angus Shops. Hearing of the liberal treatment which they receive women have been anxious to secure work there. But only those who are specially in need of employment are taken on. Many of the workers are widows, soldiers' wives, and women who are the sole means of the support of dependents. These plucky and industrious women lessen to a considerable extent the strain on the Patriotic Red Cross, and other charitable funds.

Mrs. Bell makes a thorough investigation of the circumstances of each woman before she is given employment, and a close watch is kept on each worker for the first few days after her appearance in the workshops. This is done so as to guard against the danger of alien enemies, for many nationalities are represented amongst the female workers in the Angus Shops. Mrs. Bell says that every effort is made to have each woman placed at the task that is most congenial to her tastes and ability. Those who show exceptional talent and skill are promoted. There have been instances where girls entered as couch washers and in a short time found themselves installed as office assistants. Many of the women," says Mrs. Bell, "are one hundred per cent efficient in this efficiency is in no small way due to the suitable conditions under which the women perform their tasks. The women are reliable and models of punctuality, and only in cases where there is illness of the worker or some member of her family do workers absent themselves from duty. Women are a decided success in the Angus Shops."

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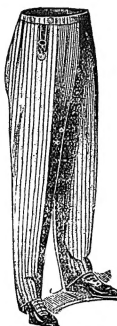
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Commencing at 11 o'clock will serve lunch at noon on behalf of the Red Cross Society.

HORSES

2 Clyde Geldings, rising 2; 3 Clyde Geldings, rising 1; Brown Mare, 9 yrs., Standard bred; Mare, rising 3 yrs., Standard bred; Mare 4 yrs. old, Standard bred; Mare 2 yrs. old, Standard bred; Filly Colt, Standard bred.

CATTLE

4 Heifers, rising 3, in calf; 4 Heifers, rising 2; 2 Steers, coming 3; 3 Steers, coming 2; 7 yearlings; 2 yearlings; Shorthorn Bull.

IMPLEMENTS

Champion binder, 8 foot cut; 16 inch Rock Island sulky plow, with breaker bottom; 16 inch Cockshut plow; Frost & Wood plow; Frost & Wood disc; wagon and box complete; set 21 inch Bain bob sleighs; mower; McCormick hay rake; 4 section drag harrow; cable stacking outfit; 6 h.p. gasoline engine and 8 inch grinder; 2 buggies; set single harness; set double driving harness.

FURNITURE

Piano, kitchen pantry, table, 2 heating stoves, chairs, griddlestone, 3 rifles, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—All sums of \$25 and under will be cash; over that amount a credit of NINE MONTHS will be given purchaser furnishing approved Joint Bankable note with 8 per cent. interest from date of sale until due, and 10 per cent. after due until paid; 5 per cent. discount for cash on sums over \$25.00.

A. ROGERS, Auctioneer, Red Deer. JOHN ROSS, W. S. HAMMOND, Owner. Clerk.

March 14, 1917.

TRAPPERS

I have just returned from a visit to Minneapolis, Winnipeg and Chicago, where I have arranged for our

HIDE AND FUR

customers better prices than ever before. Our business in these goods is 10 times as large as any firm between Calgary and Edmonton and is steadily growing. It has been built up by honest square dealing. Your boy will get as much for his furs as you will. That is why so many children bring their furs to us. We never send out lists promising impossibly high prices which we never intend to pay. We tell you what we can do and we do it. If you want to ship, bring in your fur and let us put our price on it, and then you ship. We want you to do this. We know you will let us use our fur next time.

Chas. Whitcomb

INNISFAIR

Upon request we will hold the ship

City Council Meeting

The regular meeting of the City Council was held on Thursday evening last, His Worship Mayor Smith in the chair and Aldermen Colson, Campbell, Lord, Harvey, Day and Galtbraith in attendance.

CORRESPONDENCE

Stimson & Co., Canada, Hansen Bros., The Monetary Times, and others wrote the City thanking them for copy of auditor's report.

The City of Wetaskiwin wrote asking information re cultivation of acant loas.

Constable Alexander Robertson sent in his resignation as constable.

Moved by Ald. Lord and Harvey that this Council accept Constable Robertson's resignation to take effect at once. Carried.

An enquiry was received from Gorman, Clancy & Grindley, Calgary, as to hotel accommodation in Red Deer, if in the opinion of the City there is room for improvement locally, then they asked that the City co-operate with others for its betterment. Letter was filed.

A communication was received from the Townsite Company enclosing a cheque for \$3,000 on their taxes but no penalties were allowed.

This was contrary to instructions of Council as penalties must be paid. The Secretary could not accept the cheque, and no action was taken in the matter, and the cheque was returned and the Council will take action to collect.

COMMISSIONERS REPORT

The Commissioners brought in the following report—

CORRESPONDENCE REPORT

The mid weather has necessitated the commencing work cleaning out the gutters and catch basins. This work will have to be continued until the snow gets away. It was also necessary to do considerable work to clear out the ice under the bridge on Gaetz Avenue, South, where the water was backing up above the bridge. As there is so much snow this spring and a freeze-up of some of the catch basins might cause water to run into some cellars, we deemed it advisable to have the steam boiler repaired and reduced to low pressure so that it can be operated by our Foreman. Formerly we had to engage a qualified engineer to operate it. It is inevitable that owing to the depth of snow on the boulevards, the current walks on some residential streets will be almost impassable while the snow is getting away but we do not know of any way to remedy this.

All the tax notices were mailed by March 1st, and we are now sending out notices to owners of lands sold for arrears of taxes.

Five water services have been reported frozen up since last Council meeting. These have been thawed out.

We granted permission to the Provincial Police to use our Police office and cells until they can get their new quarters fitted up. We have discussed police matters with Inspector Lea and believe that arrangements can be made for the Provincial Police to look after the enforcement of the criminal laws and leave our Police to attend to the enforcement of the City By-laws, collection of licenses, sanitary work, relief, etc.

As an article in the Calgary News-

Telegram gave an impression that the Red Deer City was polluted with typhoid germs we wrote a letter to that paper denying this. The News-Telegram kindly published the letter in prominent position.

We submit herewith accounts for your authorization to pay.

We recommend that we be authorized to take up with the D.O.C. of the District the question of the City being reimbursed for the money spent on quarters at the Exhibition grounds.

The report was adopted.

ACCOUNTS

The following accounts were passed—

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Payment of the following accounts were authorized—

City of Red Deer \$7,77

W. Sprague 2.65

Day Hardware Co.90

Gorman, Clancy & Grindley 25.93

J. W. Hey (L.I.D. Taxes)45

S. Billman 13.00

Canadian Pacific Railway 40

W. General Electric Co. 500.00

Payne & Graham 61.01

MacLean Publishing Co. 35.93

W. General Electric Co. 43.40

W. W. Carruthers 37.04

Right Hardware Co.90

Gaetz Corsett Co. 8.73

A. Fyle25

F. Washburn 10.99

Sec.-Treas. Public School 55.50

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Lea. Municipal Railways 1.20

The monthly report of the Fire Department showed that 2 chimneys occurred during the month, one in the city, one false alarm, also fire at Mr. Baile's residence at which brigade assisted.

The monthly Police report showed no arrests, no one in cells, doors open 11, are lights unit 35.

Medical Health Officer's report showed no contagious diseases.

MR. DINGMAN ADDRESSES COUNCIL

A. W. Dingman, of Calgary, addressed the Council, asking if he might lay before the Council a gas proposition which would be of great benefit to the city. He showed the great benefit gas was to the other cities of Alberta and if the city could obtain a gas supply for the citizens without cooking them, anything it ought to be a good thing, of course it would be necessary to grant a franchise and he would like the Council to say whether they would consider such a proposition.

He saw no reason why natural gas could not furnish the city if it was granted.

The idea would be to strike gas somewhere in the district. He had thought it could be piped in from great distances. The price would be of the order of 25 cents per 1000 cubic feet of gas for domestic use and 15 cents, for power.

In Calgary the rate was 35 cents per 1000 cubic feet and 25 cents for power.

favorable, if we had got to expend money to fix this bill, he thought we should do it willingly. Mr. D. Ave reported it would cost about ten dollars a foot to build a concrete wall. If we put up a 275 foot wall it would cost \$2,750. Ninety feet it would cost \$900. He thought these hills would always slip a little in it. He believed the chances were very wet weather.

The Commissioners will look further into the question.

Some discussion took place on the Alberta hotel business taxes. The general opinion of the Council was to the effect that this tax was equitable and no action was taken to make any change.

Some discussion took place also on collection of business taxes. These taxes were due on the first of March and collection will now be enforced. There will be a discount of 12 1/2 per cent. on all property taxes paid before April 1st on 1917 taxes.

Ald. Galtbraith desired to know if the Council could help in any way with the scheme of utilizing vacant property by planting same to vegetable, etc. He had been elected president of the Horticultural Society this year and the Society was greatly interested in this work and he wanted to see a general movement along this line this year. The Dominion Government was also urging all possible speeding up of this kind of work.

The Council expressed a willingness to help as much as possible in this work.

Council adjourned at 11 o'clock.

JARVIS-VAN SLYKE

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Knight, the latter a sister of the bride, at 214 Ninth street north-east, Bridgeland, Calgary, Miss Fay Delight Van Slyke and Mr. James Alexander Jarvis, both of Red Deer, were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon by Rev. A. W. R. White man. Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis are spending their honeymoon in Calgary. Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis will have the sincere good wishes of many friends.

Farm Listings Wanted

We have numerous enquiries for farms in Red Deer district. Come in and give us your listings.

MELLSTROM & LINDSAY

FEED BARN

Feed and Sale Stable

Prompt Attention—Quick Service

Dry Wood For Sale

\$2 per load

Cash with order.

GEO. CHAPMAN - Prop

1 Block south of P.O. Phone 122

BRITAIN—CALLS TO CANADA—

THE FACTORY THE FARM

She must have Food—

for her Armies in the Field—for her Workers in the Factory—in the Munition plant—in the Shipyard—in the Mine.

THERE'S DANGER IN SIGHT—BUT YOU CAN HELP

DO YOU KNOW—

that the rapidly rising price of food stuffs means that the World's reserve supply is getting small?

YOU CAN—

help thwart Germany's desperate submarine thrust on the high seas.

DO YOU KNOW—

that a world-wide famine can only be averted by increasing this supply?

YOU CAN—

do this by helping to make every bit of land in Canada produce—the very last pound of food stuffs of which it is capable.

AND REMEMBER—

that no man can say that he has fully done his part—who having land—be it garden patch, or farm, or ranch—fails to make it produce food to its utmost capacity.

BRITAIN APPEALS TO CANADA

THE NEAREST PRODUCER OF STAPLE FOODS

India and Argentina are more than twice the distance away and Australia more than four times.

Canada to Britain - - - - - 2625 MILES

India & Argentina to Britain - - - - - 6000 MILES

Australia to Britain - - - - - 11500 MILES

INFORMATION BUREAU

DOMINION DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

OTTAWA

The Department invites every one desiring information on any subject relative to Farm and Garden, to write—

"No matter what difficulties may face us, the supreme duty of every man on the land is to use every thought and every energy in the direction of producing more—and still more."

Martin Burrell—Minister of Agriculture.

The real, solid foundation of the right business relations between a store and its customers is confidence; and confidence cannot be established without honest merit. We seek to gain the confidence of our customers on that basis; if our merchandise fails to give you satisfaction we're more disappointed than you are; we will always make the matter right.

Attractive New Goods for Spring

THE New Spring Goods are coming to hand and will soon be ready for your inspection. This is an announcement that will please every woman who reads these words—so well established is the price-making, value-giving capacity of this store. We had a reputation to maintain in the buying of this Spring Merchandise. We had to buy it so we could keep the quality up and the prices down—and we were very fortunate in our purchases and consequently are able to offer you a decidedly attractive line of New Spring Goods at unusual prices, the market conditions being considered. We had also to know what you wanted. We had to secure a big range of style ideas—thus being able to meet the diversified needs of our trade. How well we have succeeded we shall leave you to judge. But come and see the New Goods. You will be as pleased to see them as we are to show them.

Ross Street

T. A. GAETZ

Red Deer

Unreserved Cash Auction Sale OF Furniture and Stock

THURSDAY, MARCH 15, '17

Having received instructions from Mr. Samuel Taylor, of Hespero, Alta. I will sell by public auction at his farm, the Northwest Quarter of Section 12-30-4 W. 5th M., one mile north of Hespero, the following: One extension table, refrigerator, harmonium, book shelves, violin, cornet, Morris chair, tapestry carpet square 10 x 12 bedroom carpets, single hand sewing machine, Rayo lamp, hanging lamp, 4 small lamps, heavy plush curtains, lace curtains and brass rods, stuffed birds, iron bedsteads, springs, and mattresses, bureau, toilet, wash, small table, one window shade, linoleum, heater "coal or wood" cook stove and pipes, wringer, carpenter tools, single harness, cutter, robe, favorite chair, hand and foot attachments, clothing, including woman's fur lined coat, gent's rain coat, boys winter overcoat, 25 yards wire stretcher, wheelbarrow, 2 sack chairs, rockers, 10 small chairs, picture, crockery of all kinds, and tinware, dairy utensils, 1 good short horn cow, milking; 1 bull calf, 50 head.

Sale at 2 o'clock. No Reserve.

N. White - Auct.
Red Deer, Alberta

Red Deer Shoe Shop
111, Second Street, S.E.

NOTICE!

Having been honorably discharged from the 187th Battalion, through sickness, I am again taking up my business of Shoe Repairing on Nov. 6th, and guarantee to give satisfaction in return for your esteemed patronage.

CAMILLE ROVERS

THE BLESSING OF A HEALTHY BODY

Has Not Had An Hour's Sickness Since
Taking "FRUIT-A-LIVES".



MR. MARIOTT
78 Less Ave., Ottawa, Ont.

"I think it my duty to tell you that 'Fruit-a-lives' has done for me. Three years ago, I began to feel down and tired, and suffered very much from Liver and Kidney Trouble. Having read of 'Fruit-a-lives', I thought I would try them. The result was surprising. During the 31 years past, I have taken them regularly and would not change for anything. I have not had an hour's sickness since I commenced using 'Fruit-a-lives', and I know now what I haven't known for a good many years—that is, the blessing of a healthy body and clear thinking brain."

WALTER J. MARIOTT.
One a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c.
At dealers or sent postpaid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

Rocky Mountain House

E. H. Stevens of Conrad, Mont., spent a few days here last week. A. N. McKinnon of Lethbridge, spent Monday evening in our village on business.

C. W. Kelly, of the Stettler Meat Company, renewed acquaintances here last week on his way to and from Nording.

O. M. Gaddard of Denver, Colorado, was a visitor to Nording last week, in the interests of the Miners Union.

Miss Margaret Shillabeer of Toronto, is visiting her brother, Dr. Shillabeer, at Nording.

J. Brough of Grandview, spent a couple of days in this vicinity last week.

J. J. Mahoney, the new Provincial Policeman, arrived last Monday evening to take charge here, and B. Lea of the R.N.W.M.P. left on Saturday for Calgary.

K. G. Foot of Blairmore, was a business visitor to our village last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rice and family of Nording, left on Friday's train to visit with friends at outside points.

W. H. Wright, President of the Standard Coal Company, was a passenger east on Saturday morning.

W. H. Stewart, mining engineer, returned home to Nording on Friday's train.

Truce Williams is leaving tomorrow morning for Nording, where he will be car repairer for the C.N.R.

We are pleased to hear that A. W. Brockman, who has been in the hospital at Nording for the last two weeks with an attack of inflammation, is recovering very nicely.

A most enjoyable time was spent in the I. O. O. F. hall last Friday evening at the box social and dance, the proceeds amounting to \$150.00, which will be donated to patriotic purposes. The music was furnished by the Wetbrell family, and was a treat that everyone appreciated.

The moving picture show had a full house last Wednesday evening, and the boys and girls especially enjoyed it.

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and assist by advertising (which by the way would be helping themselves) there isn't much encouragement for anyone to run a paper here.

Mrs. Russell of Prince Rupert, is visiting her mother, Mrs. S. Edwards, of this village.

Leslieville

March 5th, 1917.

A. N. McKinnon was on a business trip to Nording last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Roland of Clearview, visited with Mrs. Foran last week.

Mrs. W. L. McKinnon returned from Red Deer to-day accompanied by Mrs. McKeehan who will visit with her for some time.

We all wish Mr. McCallum, from the townsite these days. He is quarantined on account of measles.

There will be a Patriotic Concert in the hall on Friday evening, March 10th, under the patronage of Mrs. Frank Patterson and her pupils. We anticipate a very pleasant time, and we all wish Mr. McCallum, from the townsite these days. He is quarantined on account of measles.

A very pleasant dance was held in the hall on Friday evening. Quite a number of the young people took advantage of the good weather and moon-light to be present. Mrs. Leister was the guest of the evening.

Mrs. Graham's many friends will be very sorry to know that she is suddenly called to California, where her husband is seriously ill.

Stev. Wood is cutting ice for Leslieville people. At the close of Mrs. Patterson's Concert he will give a dance. He also requests that ladies bring cake and pie.

Belgian Relief

Mr. F. C. Whitehouse, honorary secretary-treasurer, begs to acknowledge the following subscriptions received for Belgian Relief since his last address to us:

February 26th, Ellenwood

Boys \$4.00

March 8th, "R" 2.00

March 5th, Mrs. Lee 5.00

March 5th, A. G. Bullock 25.00

March 5th, J. C. Grimson 3.00

F. H. WHITEHOUSE.
Honorary Sec.-Treas.

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE offers herewith, on behalf of the Government, the above-named Bonds for Subscription at 96, payable as follows:—

10 per cent on application;
30 " 16th April, 1917;
30 " 15th May, 1917;
26 " 15th June, 1917.

The total amount of bonds of this issue will be limited to one hundred and fifty million dollars, exclusive of the amount (if any) paid for by the surrender of bonds as the equivalent of cash under the terms of the War Loan prospectus of 22nd November, 1915.

The instalments may be paid in full on the 16th day of April, 1917, or on any instalment due date thereafter, under discount at the rate of four per cent per annum. All payments are to be made to a chartered bank for the credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture, and the allotment to cancellation.

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Ridgewood

Success in every way attended the concert, box social and dance efforts of those who were responsible for the promoting and managing of held in the school on Friday week.

We feel confident to affirm that it is the consensus of opinion that this event has far surpassed anything of the kind that has been pulled off here as yet. Mr. V. J. Mayberry occupied the chair in his usual genial and efficient manner, and Mr. Burnt Lake people must be given the principal credit for the putting on of the programme which although rather short, was well received and enthusiastically applauded at every interval.

Miss McKenzie sang twice; Mrs. Davidson sang two songs; Mrs. Stewart, song, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, duet; Miss Ivy Ramsay, of Red Deer, sang a couple of songs. We had something that every concert is not able to boast of, which was the singing in true patriotic style of the French National Anthem by Messrs. Updine, Fiverson and Mrs. Dallaire, after which everybody joined in singing God Save the King. Mr. A. Stewart displayed exceptional skill as an auctioneer, having worked the bidding up to such a sensational pitch that \$105 was realized from the sale of the boxes, to be turned over to the Red Cross Fund for the purpose of purchasing a bed to be placed in one of the London hospitals to perpetuate the memory of the late Sir J. S. Budge, who formerly taught school at Ridgewood and who made the supreme sacrifice in the line of justice and humanity while fighting for his King and country on the battlefields of France some months ago. The dance was well up to the standard of the previous ones. Excellent music was provided by Ross Bros. of Inisfail, while Mr. M. H. Sils gave the best of satisfaction as floor conductor.

Taking everything into consideration great credit must be given those who had the charge of managing in hand especially Mrs. C. M. Hollenbeck, through whose instrumentality the event has its being.

Mr. Albert Trimble had a load of elms upset when turning out to pass another rig on the Clearview road on Monday week. When he went back next morning to get them, he found they were nearly all burnt, along with a bag of salt. Some one has been at work with a torch, and the police will have the matter in hand of finding out who was responsible for the loss inflicted on Mr. Trimble and who was guilty of the mean trick.

WAR LOAN

DOMINION OF CANADA

Issue of \$150,000,000 5% Bonds Maturing 1st March, 1937

Payable at par at Ottawa, Halifax, St. John, Charlottetown, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary, Victoria, and at the Agency of the Bank of Montreal, New York City.

INTEREST PAYABLE HALF-YEARLY, 1st MARCH, 1st SEPTEMBER.

PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAYABLE IN GOLD.

ISSUE PRICE 96.

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RED DEER PRESBYTERY

Holds Annual Meeting at Red Deer and Elect Rev. J. M. Kellock Moderator

The Presbytery of Red Deer held its annual meeting recently in Knox Church, Red Deer. Owing to vacancies in some of the congregations the attendance was not as large as usual. The Rev. J. M. Kellock, of Red Deer, was elected moderator for the evening year.

The Rev. W. G. Brown, retiring moderator of session of the Inisfail congregation, reported that the congregation and extended unanimous call to the Rev. Peter Finlay, of Davidson, Saskatchewan. The congregation was represented by Mr. Edgar, who supported the call. The Presbytery being satisfied that this was the will of the people, sustained the call and arranged for the induction to take place on Thursday evening, March 15th, in St. Andrew's Church, Inisfail.

Mr. Brown, convenor of Home Missions, reported that the congregations of Trochu and Three Hills had been reported to the Status of Mission Fields to that of argumented congregations, the former having called Mr. Kellock, and the latter being prepared to call a minister. A communication from these two congregations contained a request to consider transferring them into the Calgary Presbytery because of the greater convenience in attending meetings. No action was taken as Mr. P. Kenny of Red Deer, was a visitor to our town on Monday.

Mr. J. E. Lundberg returned home on the C.P.R. special last Sunday having been to Red Deer and Calgary on business. John reports that he is glad to get back, as he felt quite lonesome in Calgary after being used to live in such a busy place as Eckville.

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INTEREST PAYABLE HALF-YEARLY, 1st MARCH, 1st SEPTEMBER.

PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAYABLE IN GOLD.

ISSUE PRICE 96.

A FULL HALF-YEAR'S INTEREST WILL BE PAID ON 1st SEPTEMBER, 1917.

THE PROCEEDS OF THE LOAN WILL BE USED FOR WAR PURPOSES ONLY.

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE offers herewith, on behalf of the Government, the above-named Bonds for Subscription at 96, payable as follows:—

10 per cent on application;
30 " 16th April, 1917;
30 " 15th May, 1917;
26 " 15th June, 1917.

The total amount of bonds of this issue will be limited to one hundred and fifty million dollars, exclusive of the amount (if any) paid for by the surrender of bonds as the equivalent of cash under the terms of the War Loan prospectus of 22nd November, 1915.

The instalments may be paid in full on the 16th day of April, 1917, or on any instalment due date thereafter, under discount at the rate of four per cent per annum. All payments are to be made to a chartered bank for the credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture, and the allotment to cancellation.

Subscriptions, accompanied by a deposit of ten per cent of the amount subscribed, must be forwarded through the medium of a chartered bank. Any branch in Canada of any chartered bank will receive subscriptions and issue provisional receipts.

This loan is authorized under Act of the Parliament of Canada, and both principal and interest will be a charge upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Forms of application may be obtained from any branch in Canada of any chartered bank and at the office of any Assistant Receiver General in Canada.

Subscriptions must be for even hundreds of dollars.

In case of partial allotments the surplus deposit will be applied towards payment of the amount due on the April instalment.

Scrip certificates, non-negotiable or payable to bearer in accordance with the choice of the applicant for registered or bearer bonds, will be issued, after allotment, in exchange for the provisional receipts.

When the scrip certificates have been paid in full and payment endorsed thereon by the bank receiving the money, they may be exchanged for bonds, when prepared, with coupons attached, payable to bearer or registered as to principal, or for fully registered bonds, when prepared, without coupons, in accordance with the application.

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who are absent on duty. In the reports of the different sessions there was general agreement about the lack of appreciation of their spiritual privileges on the part of many people, nominally connected with the several congregations. Lovers of pleasure more than lovers of God, was one way that the work of the Sunday Schools, particularly among the scholars of the intermediate classes, was encouraging. Our soldiers and sailors and our cause as an Empire all had a big place in the thoughts and prayers of members of Presbyteries. Steadfast faith in the sufficiency of the Gospel to meet the needs of human life and a call to all the people to take part in the work of themselves and of a part worthy of the church were the closing notes of an interesting meeting.

Eckville

March 6th, 1917.

Among other things which makes this place famous is H.M.S. walking masts, which leaves the corners of Main and First Street west every morning. The C.P.R. goes to Red Deer at 7.32 o'clock, a.m., returning at a half hour later either work or riding with some farmer who happens to have been down to the station. This is not as it should be as the travelling public have a right to expect to be able to go down to the morning to catch the train.

It seems as though that the night have spring again. A nice off wind is blowing to-day. Mr. P. Kenny of Red Deer, was a visitor to our town on Monday.

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Last Monday the C.N.R. was in on their station, which is in of his special mention.

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Creameries:

INNISFAIR, ELNDRA, MARKERVILLE, RED DEER.

It is about time for you now to decide where to ship your Cream for the coming summer.

If you are looking for PROMPT WEEKLY PAYMENT, GOOD SERVICE, SATISFACTORY RESULTS, YOU CAN DO NO BETTER THAN SHIP YOUR CREAM TO US AT RED DEER.

Some of the reasons WHY YOU should be a shipper to us:

Because our CREAMERIES only make a Butter of very high and uniform quality, thus the butter brings the highest price which means a better price to you.

Because our Creamery is at a central point, which means short railroad haulage, less express charges, better grade of cream.

Because the most direct route of the cows production of Cream is via the RED DEER CREAMERY TO CONSUMER.

YOURS FOR BETTER BUSINESS.

GEO. NEILSEN,
Manager.

RED DEER CREAMERY,
D. Morkeberg, Prop.

ST. PATRICK'S TEA in aid of the RED CROSS SOCIETY

The W.A. of St. Luke's Church will hold a ten cent tea and sale of home cooking, at 3 p.m., on

FRIDAY, MARCH 16

in the Parish Hall. The entire proceeds will be handed to the Red Cross Society. Come and help!

Keep this in mind for your Spring Work

Our Special \$20.00 Plow Harness

HALTERS—Strong, leather, 1 1/4 inch, bits and snaps.
HAMES—Heavy hook, with spreaders.
TRACES—7 feet, chain.
BACKBAND—Web, 4 inches wide.
BELLYBANDS and BILLETTS—1 1/4, stitched.
LINES—Leather, heavy stock, 22 ft.

With Bridles in place of Halters, \$22.50
Complete with Lankford Collars, \$26.00

JARVIS-SCHULZ HARNESS CO.,
LIMITED

Gaetz Ave. South.

(Opposite Lord's)

Send Easter Cards

TO THE BOYS AT THE FRONT.

They will appreciate the Remembrance from Home. We have many very Pretty Designs in Small Shapes, easy to mail, and have them now on display.

EASTER SUNDAY is APRIL 8th

Mail Parcels now to reach the Boys for Easter.

Just Received:

Pocket Chess and Checker Sets

Pocket Domino Sets

New Line of Pocket Testaments

Very Small and Light—Just the Thing to send Overseas.

The Gaetz-Cornett Drug & Book Co.

Don't forget the Parish Hall card party tonight.

F. McCartney and wife of Fort Saskatchewan are visiting friends in Red Deer.

The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist church will meet at Mrs. E. Greig's this afternoon.

Save your dimes for violet day, Easter Saturday. Proceeds in aid of the Red Cross.

St. Luke's W.A. will hold a Bazaar and Sale of Home Cooking at the Parish Hall on Easter Monday.

Rev. L. E. Brough will preach on Sunday afternoon in the Poplar Ridge school house beginning next Sunday.

The Choir of the Methodist church will have a sleigh ride party on Thursday evening to the Indian Industrial School.

The Clearview-Springvale Institute will serve lunch at noon at John Ross' sale, March 24th, on behalf of the Red Cross Society.

J. Lowes, hatcher, has offered a ham for the best total score in the next three card parties at the Parish Hall. Go and have a try for it.

Alan McKenzie is going to open up his factory in North Red Deer in the near future where he will manufacture sashes and doors and also boxes.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will hold a ten cent tea sale of bags and aprons at the Institute tea rooms Tuesday, April 3rd, from 3 to 6.

April 23rd, St. George's Day, the Sons of England are holding a supper and dance in the Parish Hall. All profits to be given to the Red Cross. Further particulars later.

At a meeting of the I.O.O.F. on Friday last, Mrs. Welliver was elected as Regent in the place of Mrs. Carleton, who has left the city. Mrs. Quigg was elected Vice-President in place of Mrs. Welliver.

I have in stock three different size Delaval Cream Separators, Fanning mills, Disc Harrows, Manure Spreaders, Wagons, etc. McLaughlin Engines and Demolers. Call in and inspect them. Wm. Hammond, Agent.

St. Luke's Choir had a very enjoyable sleigh party on Monday night. After leaving the city they went out to Archdeacon Dewdney's residence where they had refreshments and a good time, arriving home in the early hours of the morning.

A box social was held at the Arbutus school district, Rocky Mountain Post Office, on the 2nd of March, when \$41.75 was realized, for the Canadian Patriotic Fund. The Societies in Red Deer gratefully acknowledge this splendid donation from the west.

Remember the date, Wednesday, March 21st, the Sons of England are holding their annual White Drive of the season in the Parish Hall at 8 p.m. Prizes will be given to the winners of the Grand Aggregate of the series room for the evening and players. Call and see the sample Admission 25 cents. Refreshments style, 30 on display today and tomorrow. All who have seen and heard it have been delighted by the excellent finish and tone.

Sam Wilson, who returned from his pleasant visit to the coast a couple of weeks ago, said when he left the grass was green and the violets were in bloom. Near Victoria. He was caused by heart failure, of his elderly greatly struck with the improvement of his son, John, who resided in Globe, the Red Deer man had made in their Arizona. He leaves, to mourn his loss since joining the navy. He is a wife, two children and a brother reported them all well, including Mr. her in Globe, besides his father, mother, three brothers and a sister in Red Deer, and a brother in Strome, Alberta.

S. Dunbar, who left the city last week, for Medicine Hat, will be greatly missed by many friends. In his duty as accountant of the Bank of Commerce, he was always friendly and most obliging. As a member of St. Luke's Church, and more especially as a member of the Vestry, his place will be hard to fill owing to energetic manner in which he carried out his duties. As a member of the Curling Club he was quite an adept at the game.

Also Hill, of Nordegg, was in the city for the week-end.

N. A. Kilburn left the city on Monday on a business trip.

Go-and try for the ham at the Parish Hall card party.

Mrs. T. Wright, who was a visitor to Calgary last week, returned home on Sunday.

Mrs. J. Leary is the guest of Mrs. McKinley Cameron, of Calgary, for a few days.

Rev. T. Assiter, of Lacrosse, will conduct the services at St. Luke's Church on Sunday next.

J. F. Boyce, of the Military Hospitals Commission, Calgary, spent the week-end in the city.

Prayer meetings at the Baptist church will meet to-night at the parsonage, 39 5th street N.E. Bible study in John's gospel.

A St. Patrick's tea and sale of home made cooking will be held in the Parish Hall March 16th at 3 p.m. Entire proceeds will be handed to the Red Cross Society.

Miss Gertrude Hall was operated on for appendicitis on February 4th, at Edmonton. Her many friends will be pleased to know that she is progressing favorably.

A concert will be held in Springvale school on Friday, March 23rd. There will be a program and refreshments. A collection will be taken for the Patriotic Fund.

At a meeting at North Red Deer on Monday night, Alan McKenzie was elected to the Council in place of Councillor Jasper, who has resigned, owing to his leaving the city.

A. E. Foster, of Taber, is the new accountant at the Bank of Commerce in the place of Mr. S. Dunbar who has gone to Medicine Hat. Mr. and Mrs. Foster are living on 6th Street north.

The Post Office authorities have been notified that on and after April 1st, Vetsland P.O. will be changed to Strachan P.O. Business men their desks and note the fact also that there are now no such offices as Strachan, P.O. Business men inspect them. Wm. Hammond, Agent.

Mrs. Harrison who, for the last five years has been the pianist at the Lyric, has given up her position owing to the fact that she is leaving for Prince Albert with her husband. The many patrons of the Lyric will regret this, as all have agreed that the picture music was always of the best.

First Baptist Church, Rev. L. E. Brough, pastor. Services on Sunday conducted by the pastor. Morning subject "Let there be light." Sunday school at 12 o'clock sharp. Evening subject "The Gospel for the common people," the first of a series on the "Gospel according to Christ." You are welcome.

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Capt. and Mrs. C. F. McCune have received word of the death of their elderly son, John, who resided in Globe, the Red Deer man had made in their Arizona. He leaves, to mourn his loss since joining the navy. He is a wife, two children and a brother reported them all well, including Mr. her in Globe, besides his father, mother, three brothers and a sister in Red Deer, and a brother in Strome, Alberta.

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J. F. Day visited Lacombe on Tuesday.

W. T. Coote was a visitor to Edmonton on Tuesday.

W. E. Lord and wife were visitors to Edmonton on Tuesday.

R. E. Pike, of Hildesheim, left on Monday on a visit to Calgary for a few days.

L.O.L. regular meeting Friday, next, to which all members are requested to attend.

J. F. Finlayson, of Calgary, Inspector of Forest Reserves, was in the city on Tuesday.

A dance will be held in the Balmoral School House on Friday, March 23rd. The proceeds will be given to Red Cross.

Inspector Lea, who is in charge of the detachment of Provincial Police here, has rented Mr. Cruickshank's house on Waskasoo Avenue.

All members of L.O.L. 1025 are requested to attend the regular meeting to be held on Friday, next, as there will be some very important matters to vote on then.

A little excitement was occasioned on Monday night by the fire alarm going just at the finish of the curling game. It was just a small fire at the home of J. Smith in Parkvale.

When the curling rings returned from High River they gave vent to the exclamation "We are Weiser now." Yesterday morning, however, one of the ships remarked "We are no Weiser now."

Mr. O'Neill, brother-in-law of C. J. Strachan, arrived in the city yesterday from Manitoba with a carload of stock and implements. He has rented the Hespworth farm. His wife and family will follow later.

The Women's Club of Red Deer will hold a special meeting and at home in the L.O.O.P. Hall on Tuesday, April 3rd, from 3 to 6 in the afternoon, to which all the women supporters of Mr. Michener throughout the district, are very cordially invited.

The funeral was held at Red Deer yesterday morning at 10 a.m. of Edward Hall of Edwells, aged 82 years. Rev. Ryan conducted the service. Deceased had been living alone for a long time on his farm. A few days ago his neighbours noticed his cattle out of the corral and saw them at the hay stacks. Thinking something was the matter they went to investigate and found Hall lying dead in the corral. The Coroner, Dr. George, was called and he pronounced the death due to heart failure. He is survived by a son, E. G. Hall, of Vancouver.



TAXES

March 31st, 1917

12 1/2 % Discount

will be allowed on all taxes except arrears and frontage Taxes paid by the above date.

Arrears of Taxes

A rebate will be allowed of 2 p.c. on all arrears over \$20.00 paid by March 31st, and 1 p.c. on all paid from April 1 to April 30, 1917.

GEO. W. SMITH, Mayor

"God Save The King."

Lord's Day Alliance

The annual meeting of the Executive of the Lord's Day Alliance, Red Deer branch, was held in the Methodist church on Wednesday evening, Feb. 28, at 9 p.m. Rev. W. M. Ryan presided, the chair. Mr. John McVicar acted as Secretary.

In the absence of the Treasurer, Mr. L. J. Porter, the chairman stated that \$147 had been collected by Red Deer branch, was held in the Methodist church on Wednesday evening, Feb. 28, at 9 p.m. Rev. W. M. Ryan presided, the chair. Mr. John McVicar acted as Secretary.

It was agreed that a Field Day be held early in June, and the Secretary will write Rev. Dr. Huestis as to giving addresses.

The officers for 1917 were elected as follows:—
Hon. President—E. Michener, M.P.

President—Mr. Roy Byers.
President-Deputies—The ministers of the city.

Secretary—John McVicar.
Treasurer—L. J. Porter.

Auditor—J. E. Walton.
The following were appointed on the Executive, also to be responsible for the collecting or appointment of collectors from their respective churches:—

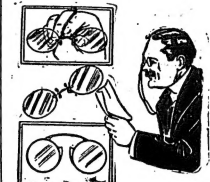
Baptist—E. R. Hill and A. J. Goodey.
Methodist—Jas. A. Youmans and H. W. Trimble.

Presbyterian—E. J. Ramsey and J. A. McPherson.
Nazarene—G. A. Sheline and E. H. Snyder.

Anglican—To be appointed.
Salvation Army—Adjutant and Lieutenant.

The Secretary stated that he had mailed or distributed 100 copies each of the Sunday laws and the Lord's Day Act during 1916.

Remember the Big Auction Sale, 52 head of stock, Saturday, March 17th, 1917, at the Arlington Livery Barn, Red Deer. N. White, Auctioneer.



OUR EYE GLASS SERVICE

is so efficient that it does more than simply help the sight. It relieves the eyes and mind, too, from strain. It very often stops headaches that have seemed incurable. This service is at your command at any time. If your sight is not right, now is the time to have us make it so.

H. H. Humber

Jeweller Optician

Dairy Supplies

Now that Spring is just around the corner and the cows are coming fresh you will need to replenish your dairy supplies.

WE HAVE A COMPLETE LINE:

Creamers

with or without gauge

Pails

heavy and medium, galvanized and dairy

Strainers

Churns

Butter Ladles

Butter Prints

It does not pay, especially when your time is so valuable, to be without the things you should have.

Come in now and make your selection

Day Hardware

ROSS ST.

RED DEER

CASH AUCTION SALE

Having been favored with instructions from Mr. J. Morrison of Penhold, who is leaving this country on account of his health, I will sell by public auction the whole of his live and dead farming stock at his farm southwest quarter of section 20-38-27 west of the 4th M being 4 miles southeast of Penhold, one and a half miles north of Antler Hill school, and 13 miles S.E. of Red Deer, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 29th, 1917

Sale to commence at 11 o'clock sharp.

Lunch at Noon. No Reserve.

30 HEAD OF CATTLE.

Durham Bull, reg., rising 2, 7 milch cows, fresh shortly, cow, milking, fresh in fall, 2 steers coming 3, 2 heifers rising 3, 2 milking shortly, 3 heifers 3 years, milking to calve in fall, 4 heifers rising 2, will be fresh in fall, 10 calves.

9 HEAD OF HORSES.

Team of Sorrels, mare and gelding, Mare in foal to Clyde horse, 8 and 9 yrs old, 1500 and 1800. Bay mare, 1100. Bay mare in foal, 7 year old, 1800. Good Saddle Pony. Bay Gelding, rising 2. Bay Mare rising 2 yrs. Bay Mare rising 4 yrs. Yearling Colt.

23 HEAD OF HOGS.

19 well bred Berkshire pigs weigh about 100 lbs each. Pure bred Berkshire Boar, 3 well bred Berkshire Sows, due to pig in April and June.

GRAIN AND HAY.

100 bushels Seed Oats 1915 Ligova, 100 bushels Feed Barley, 800 bus. Feed Oats, 200 bushels Seed Barley, 100 bus. Marquis Seed Wheat, 3 bus. Fall Rye. About 15 tons Timothy and Rye Grass, about 20 sheaves Green Feed Oats, Timothy Seed and Potatoes.

IMPLEMENTS.

Buggy, 8 ft. Deering Binder, Deering Mower, 2 Bain Wagons, 2 sleighs, hay rake, John Deere breaker, 14 in. gang plow, John Deere, manure spreader, 5 sec. tractor, Dain tractor, hay sweep, Deering disc seeder, 20 discs; 2,000 lbs platform scales, Jumbo cleaner, 6 h.p. gas engine, 8 in. grinder, tank heater, and a large water tank, cream cooler, churn, washing machine, 2 heaters, set of driving harness, set of work harness, set of plow harness, stock saddle, collars.

3 Geese. 3 Turkeys and 1 Gobbler.

NOTE—This is one of the finest lots of stock and implements ever offered for sale in this district and will be sold absolutely without reserve. If you are looking for good stock and implements be sure and attend this sale.

N. WHITE, Auctioneer, Red Deer, Alta.

A BIG CASH AUCTION SALE OF 23 HEAD OF STOCK

Arlington Livery Barn, Red Deer, Alberta

Under instructions from Mr. Aldred Pointer, and one or two other parties, I will sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY MARCH 17TH, 1 O'CLOCK SHARP

40 HEAD OF CATTLE.

20 head of young gentle Milch Cows, Shorthorn Grades, in good condition most of which are due to calve early.

8 Steers, rising 3 years old.

12 Steers, rising 2 years old.

ALSO SOME IMPLEMENTS AND FURNITURE.

The Stock is an excellent bunch and intending stock buyers will find it to their advantage to attend this Sale

N. WHITE, AUCTIONEER RED DEER.